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In re application of : **Mail Stop: ISSUE FEE**  
Youji NOTOYA et al. : **Confirmation No. 6786**  
Serial No. 10/005,329 : [Group Art Unit 2621  
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RECORDING APPARATUS :

**RULE 312 AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DRAWING  
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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: